



**U.S. Immigration
and Customs
Enforcement**

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Re: ICE FOIA Case Number 2012FOIA12938

Dear Mr. Morisy:

This is the final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated May 10, 2012, to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), for a copy of the requisition form or RFP for the National Intellectual Property Rights Coordination Center logo/seal as well as all draft submissions and alternative logos and/or seals by the designer made in fulfillment of that requisition or RFP, along with supporting documentation explaining the design that was submitted by the designer.

To provide you with the greatest degree of access authorized by law, we have considered your request under both the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and the Privacy Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552a. Information about an individual that is maintained in a Privacy Act system of records may be accessed by that individual¹ unless the agency has exempted the system of records from the access provisions of the Privacy Act.²

A search of the ICE Office of Acquisitions (OAQ) was conducted and no records responsive to your request were found. A search of the ICE Office of Public Affairs (OPA) was conducted and no records responsive to your request were found. A search of the ICE Office of the Chief Financial Officer (CFO) was conducted and no records responsive to your request were found.

While an adequate search was conducted, you have the right to appeal the determination that no records exist within ICE OAQ, ICE OPA, or ICE CFO that would be responsive to your request. Should you wish to do so, send your appeal and a copy of this letter to: U.S. Immigration Customs Enforcement, Office of Principal Legal Advisor, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Freedom of Information Office, 500 12th Street, S.W., Stop 5009 Washington, D.C. 20536-5009, following the procedures outlined in the DHS regulations at 6 C.F.R. § 5.9. Your appeal must be received within 60 days of the date of this letter. Your envelope and letter should be marked "FOIA Appeal." Copies of the FOIA and DHS regulations are available at www.dhs.gov/foia.

¹ 5 U.S.C. § 552a(d)(1).

² 5 U.S.C. §§ 552a(d)(5), (j), and (k).

The Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) also mediates disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. If you are requesting access to your own records (which is considered a Privacy Act request), you should know that OGIS does not have the authority to handle requests made under the Privacy Act of 1974. If you wish to contact OGIS, you may email them at ogis@nara.gov or call 1-877-684-6448.

Provisions of the FOIA and Privacy Act allow us to recover part of the cost of complying with your request. In this instance, because the cost is below the \$14 minimum, there is no charge.³

If you need to contact our office about this matter, please refer to case number **2012FOIA12938**. This office can be reached at (202) 732-0600 or (866) 633-1182.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Catrina M. Pavlik-Keenan".

Catrina M. Pavlik-Keenan
FOIA Officer

³ 6 CFR § 5.11(d)(4).